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Via ECFS
Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
445 12th Street, S.W.
Washington, D.C. 20554

**Re: In the Matter of USTelecom for Forbearance Pursuant to
47 U.S.C. Section 160(c); WC Docket No. 18-141; Category 1**

Dear FCC,

Please don't let AT&T take away broadband competition. The marketplace needs more options than the main big companies that dominate internet services (AT&T and Comcast). Our home and small business uses Sonic.net and AT&T is trying to reduce/remove their services. Please don't let them do this. We rely on Sonic's excellent fiber service, affordable price and true, local, customer service and it's been night and day than trying to deal with AT&T or Comcast, who both provide horrible services and customer service.

We had DSL through AT&T, but it wasn't reliable, so we switched to Comcast DSL. They screwed up the installation, screwed up the billing and it took phone call after phone call speaking to someone who could barely speak English to get our problems resolved. Finally, we switched to Sonic fiber and it's amazing. Not only is their service great, but the customer service is the best I've ever dealt with from any company, ever. Sonic is crucial to internet connection in our home and for our small business. Please don't let AT&T remove their services.

Thank you.

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